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Moving Week

A regular round of moving is being staged this week. The Sevrens family has moved into the old Bus depot from the Klayholt house; and Pete Janzen, having purchased the property, is moving in. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wall are moving into the Janzen place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Schmidt are moving into the house vacated by Wyndel Goehoe, which he has purchased, and the Orville Shantz family will move into the Chas. Franklin property.

The Red Cross Drive.

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Mrs. H. Mortimer 5.00
Richard Oldham 5.00
E. Dupont and family 5.00
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The books for donations are still open. Subscription may be handed to the treasurer, Mr. C. E. Reiber.

Obituary

Mrs. AMOS WEBER

Mrs. Rosilla Weber, who was one of the earlier settlers of this district, passed away at her home south west of town, on Tuesday, April 4th, at the age of 75 years.

Born at German Mills, Ont., March 6, 1869, she was married to Amos Weber in 1890. They came to Didsbury in 1901 and homesteaded 5 1/2 miles south east of town, and they have lived on the same farm since that time.

For the past 27 years she has been a member of the M.B.C. Church.

During her long residence here she had secured a large circle of friends who will regret her passing.

Surviving are her husband and 4 sons, Norman and Gordon of Didsbury; Sgt. Maj. Orville, with the Canadian Army at Vancouver; and Pte. Archie, with the army at Red Deer.

The funeral services will be held at the M.B.C. Church on Friday, at 2:30 p.m.

Fisher Funeral Home will have charge of arrangements.

Missionary Tells of Torpedo Experience

Miss Annie Yeo, of the Ontario M.B.C. Church, has been giving some very helpful and inspiring messages in the M.B.C. Church here, this past week. Miss Yeo, who is a missionary to Africa, is at present on furlough. On Sunday evening she told of her experiences on her way home from Africa in December of 1912. On this trip she was shipwrecked and landed in a naval hospital, her sole possessions being the clothes she was wearing; these were dirty and torn. The ship she was travelling in was torpedoed, and Miss Yeo suffered a broken arm, an injured ankle and sundry bruises.

It will be of great interest to the Red Cross workers of this community to know that a complete new outfit of clothes was given to this missionary including toilet articles, such as comb and tooth brush. Miss Yeo could not speak too highly of the Red Cross, and urged that everyone in this district continue to support this worthwhile organization to the utmost of their ability.

Good Registration for Free X-Ray Clinic

There was good response to the registration for the free X-Ray Clinic at the Legion Hall last week, 461 names being registered.

No date has yet been set as to when the Mobile X-Ray Unit will be in Didsbury, and registrations are still being accepted.

Registrations can be made at the Health Unit, the Drug Store, Builders' Hardware and any of the elevators.

The Mobile X-Ray Units free clinics are part of the Alberta Government's campaign to combat tuberculosis, and an opportunity is being given the people of the province to have a fluorograph taken of their chest.

Reminder of Old Days

Among the old relics sold at the Isaac Lee sale, was an old horse-drawn carriage with high buggy wheels which at one time had rubber tires.

It was among the first auto cars to be brought to the province in the early 1900's. It is reported that Mr. Lee had substantial amounts offered for the car in the past, but he preferred to keep it. It was sold to W. Conrad of Harman, for around \$50.00.

Municipal Officials Honored at Carstairs

In honor of the reeves, councillors and secretary treasurers of the former municipal districts of Beaver Dam and Rosebud, the Carstairs and Crossfield Boards of Trade sponsored a complimentary banquet in the Carstairs hall, March 30.

A total of 214 guests sat down to a banquet served by members of the Junior women's association of Carstairs Presbyterian church. Mayor R. L. Mills welcomed those present, on behalf of the village of Carstairs.

The banquet was followed by addresses from J. E. Brownlee, K.C. of Calgary; former reeve A. S. Gough, of Rosebud, and former deputy reeve George Haag, of Beaver Dam and others.

Notice.

The Board of the Didsbury Municipal Hospital District No. 33 expect shortly to be offering for sale to the public an issue of debentures amounting to \$75,000.00. These debentures will be repayable to bearer in 20 equal consecutive instalments of combined principal and with interest at 5% per annum.

It is the desire of the Board to sell as many of these debentures within the district itself, and to facilitate the work of the Board in allocating this issue it would be a great help if all intending purchasers would get in touch with the undersigned and advise him without delay as to what amount they wish to subscribe.

H. LYNCH-STAUTON,
Didsbury, Alberta,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Didsbury Municipal Hospital District No. 33

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No. 2	26c
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Good Friday.

Friday being Good Friday, all stores will be closed.

Didsbury Jottings

By A. C. H.

The Girl Guides and the Rangers put on a most delightful little concert on Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall. There were two amusing sketches; one where the husband wanted the furniture in one setting, the wife wanted it put her way. It sounded very much like home, and all the married couples must have recognized their own early days. After a while, of course, the husband just gives up, but he hadn't been married long enough in the play to reach that satisfactory state of affairs. There were songs, piano solos, a reading by Mrs. A. C. H. and at the end singing round the camp fire. The girls had collected all the old Christmas trees for the outdoor effect, and built a cosy camp electric fire. They sang songs, which was a cozy and intimate ending for the evening.

We felt it was a pity a larger crowd was not there to enjoy the informal and spontaneous concert these girls put on.

Miss Margaret Hanson gave an interesting talk on Guide and Ranger work, and the girls served a nice lunch.

Mrs. A. C. H. was presented with a bouquet of daffodils by the girls.

We haven't seen any robins, but we know it's Spring. A little two-year-old was sitting in the garden digging in the dirt with a spoon, with no hat on his head, and perfect contentment in his eyes.

We think its time some man invented a new secret weapon for the home front. Say, a jet-propelled mop, or a racket-saw brush. One that could do an Immelman half roll, and navigate the course at ceiling zero.

We were offered three yards of elastic one hour after we got our Pioneer last week. These results so surprised and pleased us, that we are preparing pieces about: 1 Tires, 2 canned pineapple, 3 sugar.

Stubblebuster's Play Proves Successful

"Don't be bashful", the three act play presented by the Spring-side Stubblebusters, at the Westerdale hall Friday, was a huge success. The hall was filled to overflowing and many people were unable to get in.

After the first act, Mr. Louis Holmes sang a solo accompanied at the piano by Miss Marion Holmes, and after the second act Mr. Hallas of Olds rendered several selections on the violin accompanied by Mrs. Hallas at the piano.

Lunch was served and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing. The proceeds amounted to \$100.00, of which it was decided to donate \$10.00 toward the piano for the Westerdale hall, \$50.00 went for expenses, and it was decided to leave \$10.00 in the club treasury as working principal.

The Stubblebusters wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone who gave so generously of their time and effort in order that this play would be a success.

Weddings

BRANDER-RINGHEIM

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Thursday evening, March 19, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Brander, when their youngest daughter, Myrtle Evelyn, became the bride of F. O. Lloyd Kenneth Ringheim, of Pearce, Alberta, formerly of Didsbury. Fit. Lieut. J. Blewett performed the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a dressmaker suit of turquoise wool crepe with matching accessories. Her carriage was of tulle and roses. Miss Olive Brander attended her sister as bridesmaid, wearing a wool crepe dress in gold tones with matching accessories. Her carriage was of Rose Hill roses.

LAC Jack Resnek acted as groomsmen.

Following the reception, F. O. and Mrs. Ringheim left for points west, enroute to Macleod, where they will make their home.

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A Survey Of Education

DURING THE TROUBLED times through which we are now passing, there is a general tendency to look ahead, and to hope for a better world when the war is ended. Education is a fundamental factor in social progress, and it holds an important place in any plans which we may make for post-war improvements. A recent report, made by the Survey Committee of the Canada and Newfoundland Education Association, contains some interesting facts concerning our Canadian schools, and points out some ways in which our educational system could be adjusted, to meet the needs of these changing times. There is a very well known saying to the effect that "the children of today are the citizens of tomorrow." With this in mind, outstanding educationalists have conducted a nation-wide survey, the first to be made here. Their report deals with numerous problems relating to our school system.

Larger School Units Proposed

An adequate program of health service for all children is stressed as a fundamental need. This should include both medical and dental care. It is further proposed that educational opportunities for rural or urban, Canada at present has 20,610 school administrative units, and of this number 14,622 units employ only one teacher, while 1,430 employ two teachers. These small units represent more than three quarters of the whole, and pupils are taught all subjects from grade one to grades nine or ten in one or two-room schools. Recommendations of the committee in this connection include the suggestion that larger units be set up to afford greater facilities for the children in rural districts, and that pupils living at a distance from the school be provided with transportation or living accommodation in hostels or boarding houses. It is also proposed that as soon as possible after the war, a building program be undertaken to supply necessary new buildings and to repair old ones, and that the number of supervisors and inspectors be increased. "Helping teachers" are suggested to assist class-room teachers, especially in the primary grades.

Many Reforms Are Outlined

In respect to financial matters, the report reveals that the amount of money spent per child per year varies widely throughout the Dominion, the minimum being \$31.70 per pupil, and the maximum \$82.25. The average teacher's salary in Canada is \$752 per year, and 74.9 per cent. of the teachers receive less than \$1,221 a year. This is compared with the average wages of workers in all Canadian industries, which was \$1,207 a year in 1910. The report suggests that the present yearly school expenditure in the Dominion, which is \$146,832,642, be doubled, and that additional annual expenditures be provided for. It proposes that all fees be abolished in elementary and secondary schools; a system of scholarships be set up to enable gifted students to continue their studies; that the average teacher's salary be raised to \$1,521; that library facilities be improved and extended; that the school-leaving age be placed at sixteen years and that part-time attendance should be required until the age of eighteen. These are only some of the proposals which are made for improving the preparation of Canadian youth to assume the responsibilities of citizenship.

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GOT HIS ANSWER

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Canada has 952 public civilian hospitals.

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A Common Program

Problems Facing Allies After The War Are Being Discussed

Representatives of the Allied governments already are discussing methods to be used in the post-war days to insure co-ordinated action on all problems affecting them. Viscount Halifax, Great Britain's ambassador to the United States, said,

"The ambassador was in Boston to receive an honorary degree of Doctor of Civil Law at Boston University.

"There is a common program now being discussed," he said at a press conference, "concerning the problems of the Allies after the war. However, ultimately the results of the discussions must depend on the minds of the respective peoples in the different communities."

BACKACHE? Look out for Trouble With Your KIDNEYS

If your back aches or if you have disturbed, burning, itching, or stinging out for trouble, this condition is a sure sign that your kidneys are not fully rid of your blood of poisons, acids and wastes. When the kidneys slow down, backache, dizziness, spots, puffiness and rheumatic pains may follow. Your kidneys need help—and there is a time-tested, proven way to help them known as GOLD MEDAL, Harlequin Oil Capsules. These Capsules contain carefully measured quantities of that widely known diuretic called Dutch Drops. You will find their action fast and effective. Be sure you get GOLD MEDAL, Harlequin Oil Capsules, the genuine and original Dutch Drops—packed in Canada. Get a 40c package from your druggist.

HAPPENS SOMETIMES

John, aged five, had been caught wasting bread, so his mother delivered a little lecture on the sin of waste. She concluded by saying: "What would you do if the brave soldiers, who bring your food, said they would not bring any for naughty boys who wasted it?" "Well," said the culprit, after a pause for reflection, "perhaps we could pinch some from the good little boys."

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Britain's War Effort

Savings Effort Has Increased Every Year Of The War

The savings effort of the British Home Front has increased steadily throughout the war, despite the immense increase in all forms of taxation during the same period. In all, a total of more than \$26,000,000,000 has been subscribed—an average of more than \$60 for each man, woman and child in Britain.

The war effort of the British people increases with every year of war. This is well illustrated by their record in small savings. For every savings stamp and gift token bought in 1940, eight were bought in 1943. Small savers holding certificates total 17,000,000, which is over 50 per cent. of the entire British adult population. Over half the 1943 savings total was contributed by small savers. There was a similar increase in large savings.

An appreciable rainfall occurs only once every few years in the Egyptian desert.

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Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—It seems that the chocolate bars these days aren't to be compared with those we used to buy in size and yet the price is the same. Shouldn't there be a law prohibiting candy manufacturers from reducing the size of their bars?

A.—The Wartime Prices and Trade Board does control the weights of chocolate bars. All types of bars must weight just as much as they did during the basic period, in the fall of 1941. Here are the weights that were fixed: One and a half ounces for a moulded plain or milk chocolate bar. One and a quarter ounces for a moulded plain or milk bar with other ingredients. One and three quarters ounces for a chocolate-coated bar with a confectionary centre. And two ounces for a confectionary bar that is not chocolate-coated.

Q.—How can I obtain a ration book for new-born babies?

A.—To obtain the ration book for new-born babies, you must make application to your local ration board, bringing with you either the child's birth certificate or baptismal certificate.

Q.—What should be done with ration books belonging to persons who have died?

A.—If a member of a household dies, his or her ration book must be turned in to the local ration board immediately by the legal representative of the deceased, or by some member of the household.

Q.—I am about to move into a new home shortly, and yesterday on talking to the tenants who are moving out, I find that the landlord is charging me a higher rent than they have been paying. What should I do?

A.—If you are sure of your facts, I would suggest that you take the matter up with your landlord and try and get the matter adjusted between yourselves. If you can't get satisfaction this way, then I suggest you get in touch with the Rentals Administration, which is part of the Trade Board, which will be located in the capital city of your province.

Q.—As a "war bride" newly arrived in Canada, how should I go about getting a ration book?

A.—Please apply to your local ration board which will deal with your request.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumer's Notes" or the Blue Book (the book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices) mentioning the address of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

Telephone Of Future

Will Be Self-Answering With Device For Taping Messages

A telephone that will answer itself and talk back to you when you come home was predicted by Bell Telephone Laboratories Inc. in New York for after the war.

The self-answering phone uses a recording device, usually a magnetic record on a steel tape, from which messages can later be erased by passing the tape between two poles of a magnet, thus permitting it to be used again and again.

If nobody answers the phone, the caller can start talking to the tape. When the person called comes home, he picks up the receiver and the message is "played" to him.

A variation of this device already in use records a two-way conversation for permanent records, but somebody has to pick up the receiver to make it work. Newsweek.

AUSTRALIAN FORMULA

Weightless armor steel, used in armor vehicles, is a new type of bullet proof steel developed in Australia. The formula has been made available to other Allied nations. Before the war Australia had not even built a motor car.

Food Rationing

Will Continue For Some Years Says British Food Minister

British Food Minister Col. John L. Llewellyn made an audience of women in London guess when he said that food rationing would continue for some years after the end of the war.

Explaining the necessity for the continuance of rationing, the minister said: "You cannot take a lot of able young men off farms, not only here but in Canada, the United States, Australia and New Zealand, deprive the land of fertility, and expect farm production to be kept up."

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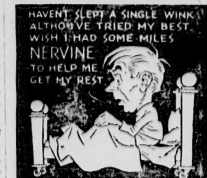
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Fabulous Prices Were Paid For Buttons By Extravagant Monarchs In Days Of Long Ago

"BUTTON, button, who's got the button" used to be a favourite game of childhood days, but child nowadays doesn't delight in the treasures in mother's button box. Some varieties of buttons have become war casualties since 1939.

Mother-of-pearl buttons, a standby for many years, were mostly imported from Japan and consequently are off present day shopping lists. Now, pearl buttons are made from Mississippi clams. Other buttons found at notion counters these days are made from plastic scrap of all colours, and make up for the lack of any bone buttons.

The first clothes worn by man were so loose and so meagre, that they were tied together with a cord or with a thorn. As clothes became more voluminous, a thorn from a tree was hardly sturdy enough, so man made a long, slim pointed spike out of metal. Even this was not entirely satisfactory. Eventually he decided to curve the metal pin, with the sharp end fastening into the other end of the metal, thus giving birth to the first safety pin. As time went on, someone thought to button his clothes. This completely revolutionized the clothing of that day, for man then discarded loose garments and took to fitting his body more closely with clothes and went for buttons in a big way.

Buttons date back to 3500 B.C. at least, for the Royal Ontario Museum in Toronto, has one of that date. The button they are fortunate enough to have in their collection is not very different from the button of today. It is round, creamy-colored and made of bone, slightly smaller than a twenty-five cent piece. Underneath there is a shank with holes to fasten it on a garment. The top of the button is deeply cut with a scallop.

Louis XIV. of France, back in the late seventeenth century was extravagant concerning just about everything and certainly extravagantly fond of buttons. He doted on them to such an extent during his lifetime that it has since been computed that he spent five million dollars on buttons alone. In one year, reports have it, he spent \$600,000 on buttons and on one particular occasion handed over \$14,000 for a pair that took his fancy. At about the same time, across the Channel, it was against the law to make or wear wooden buttons. William III of England took such a personal dislike to them that anyone found making or wearing them was flogged into prison.

Other monarchs before and after were also interested in buttons. Francis I of France, is said to have worn the most buttons at one time. His record was 12,000 solid gold buttons on one jacket. Queen Catherine of Poland left five dozen gold buttons set with diamonds and rubies valued at over \$4,000 in her will. Gay Charles the First delighted in having buttons sewn on his handkerchiefs, for what reason nobody knows.

Half way across the world in Burma, women wear wooden buttons that are so large that they are also used for plates in the home. A handy way of taking one's dinner dishes around when calling! In the Belgian Congo, at one time, it was possible to purchase one wife for one bone button, or two wives for an iron button.

Buttons are important in this day and age, just as they were down through the ages, although the zipper is giving some of them a slide for their money.

INCREASE CONTINUES

Output of aircraft in Britain continues to increase, it has been announced. Total structure and weight of output in February this year was more than 26 per cent. higher than in February, 1945, while heavy bombers in structure and weight showed an increase of more than 32 per cent. Actual figures were not issued.

MOON IS SMALLER

The sun and the moon appear to be about the same size, but actually the moon could make its monthly trips around the earth inside a hollow globe much smaller than the sun.

Out To Win

And President Of Britain's Board Of Trade Experts' Cooperation

Hugh Dalton, president of Britain's Board of Trade, has slowed down more wheels than any other man in Britain. These were the wheels that produced peacetime goods; and he started them spinning again in factories rapidly equipped for war production. The long sequence of decrees framed by him has had more effect upon the lives of men, women and children in Britain than the edicts of any other Minister with the exception of Lord Woolton, says Augustus Maie in "Britain". But if anything is notable for its absence it is a grumble about the Dalton austerity drive. Mr. Dalton is out to win the war and he expects every member of his staff to keep pace with him. He sleeps in a room next door to his office and he is back at his desk after dinner at night. Seldom does he retire to his country house for a brief weekend; seldom does he see Mrs. Dalton, whose own hands are full with important war work. Before he took office as President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Dalton controlled the Ministry of Economic Warfare. He is an acknowledged expert in foreign politics and international trade relations. He served in France and on the Italian front in the last war, receiving a decoration for valor.

Synthetic Rubber

Agricultural Products Have Unlimited Possibilities As Raw Materials

Canadian agricultural products have unlimited possibilities as raw materials in the manufacture of synthetic rubber and fuel for motor vehicles, said Dr. Paul Kolachov, Russian-born chemist, in an address at Winnipeg to the Industrial Development Board of Manitoba.

He predicted "the growth of industries based on the fermentation process will bring prosperity to the farmer such as he has never seen before."

In Canada the most promising carbohydrate crops that can be used in the fermentation industry include wheat, rye, sugar beets and potatoes, said Dr. Kolachov.

Industries should be located near the source of the crop, he added.

Thimbles were first used in Egypt.

Canadians Adopt Goat For Mascot



Mascot of a Canadian Highland regiment, killed in Italy, this baby goat was picked up in a field. Its mother having been killed by a piece of shrapnel. Now it shares hardback with Pte. Armand Harrowcliffe of Rilestone, Alberta, pictured here.

—Canadian Army overseas photo.

Yes, We Have Bananas



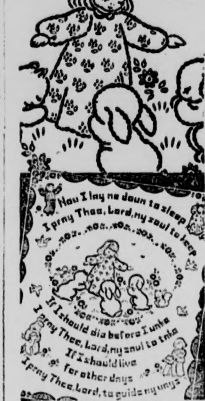
Bananas are plentiful at the West African village near which LAC James Wilson of Vancouver, is stationed. That's why buyers can be choosers, and Wilson samples the native salesman's wares before deciding on a bunch to take back to quarters. The country is picturesque, but Flying Officer Jack Daigleish, who took this picture, says the equatorial climate is no bargain.

Editors Of The Underground Press In Occupied Countries Risking Their Lives Every Day

IN Poland, France, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Denmark, Norway and the Netherlands, editors of the underground press are risking their lives very day to bring truth to their enslaved countrymen.

This Week's Needlework

How I lay me down to sleep



by Alice Brooks

This prayer is loved by almost every child. It's beautifully designed here, and is sure to become a wall paper of your child's nursery.

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GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

The post of Governor of Bengal is the highest ranking among the Provincial governorships in India. There is much significance in the fact that it has recently been given to Mr. Richard Casey, of Australia.

In crude forms cosmetics were known as early as 5,000 B.C.

There is the story of the Gestapo raid on a Polish house where a number of women were printing an underground newspaper. A few moments before the doors were hammered down the Gestapo, the paper, its ink barely dry from the printing press, was spirited away through a secret tunnel to another hiding place. When the enraged Germans broke down the door, they immediately shot two of the women who had remained behind to cover the escape of the others.

The B.B.C. foreign broadcasts and the Voice of America from the United States are the chief sources of news for the underground press, and every editor-listener to the radio transmits the news to hundreds of compatriots. These programmes beamed to the occupied countries 24 hours a day together with the underground papers serve as a voice and guiding light for the underground movement, transmitting instructions and warnings about the hour of invasion, what the infiltrators are expected to do, where and how?

France has more than 25 regularly issued newspapers in her underground. Patriots from ten to a hundred years old distribute these various papers under cover of darkness. They are passed on from person to person until almost illegible, so that a small number of copies may be read by hundreds of thousands.

Belgium has some 20 regularly published papers, and it is estimated that irregular publications may bring the total up to 300. During the last war, the "La Libre Belgique" was one of the most famous underground newspapers. It has been revived in this war and its circulation is estimated as being as high as 40,000. In comparison to newspapers in free countries, this is not a very large run, but in Belgium, every copy is virtually bought with the lives of the men who edit and print it.

Poland is said to have 25 to 100 or more clandestine papers, with a circulation of more than 300,000. Charges are evidenced by the fact that in 1941, no less than 63 people were killed by the Nazis in an attempt to suppress a single paper known as the "Voice of Poland".

From time to time in official allied reports one reads words such as these: "A number of Greeks . . . or Danes or Norwegians, as the case may be, have been . . . executed for distributing underground pamphlets," or "In France to be seen distributing an underground newspaper or to be found helping to produce it means death."

It was with this in mind that a group of newspaper editors meeting in Washington passed a resolution which was eventually transmitted to Europe. It said in part "We admire you as men who do in constant and deadly peril what we do in safety and honour—men who at the daily risk of your lives are upholding the noblest traditions of the free press as an essential element of the free men. Each day you bring the truth to peoples whose bodies are in bondage. The truth will keep them free in spirit."

Air Offensive

War Of Wits Between Attackers And Defenders

Air Vice Marshal Saunders, Deputy Chief of Bomber Command, has said that in this war of wits between the attackers and the defenders, the attack becomes more difficult every week due to the great development in size of the enemy defences, and the fact that some of the enemy's night fighters are now on the Western Front. Yet, thanks to the tactical ingenuity of Bomber Command, the air offensive continues to grow in size despite these difficulties, and without heavy percentage of losses.

Prairie grasses occasionally grow to a height of ten feet. 2500

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The World of Wheat

by H. G. L. Strange

RUBBER AND WHEAT

According to a statement by the Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions, in the House of Commons on March 23rd, there is no chance whatever of synthetic rubber to be made out of wheat. Mr. Howe stated that the large Dominion Rubber Plant at Sarnia started making rubber from wheat but finally switched to petroleum, because, said Mr. Howe, the cost of rubber made from petroleum is one third only of the cost of the same rubber if made from wheat.

Mr. Howe thought further that the cost of making synthetic rubber might be brought down eventually to as low as 16 cents a pound, and that at this price synthetic rubber

Changes Noted in Ration Book 4

Coupons marked "T" in the new ration book are for both tea and coffee and do not indicate lifting of the coffee ration, says C. G. McKee, regional superintendent of rationing. Meat coupons are included in the new ration book, and in all probability will be used before ration book 4 expires, the superintendent comments. When Ration Book 4 went to press there was no indication that meat rationing would be lifted.

might compete with natural rubber. Personally I doubt if this can ever be done for the reason that advances are still possible in improving the yield per acre of rubber trees, and in cutting down costs of production; and even if it could be done, I doubt the wisdom of doing it, for it does not appear, to me at least, to be fair nor in Canada's interests, to put millions of people out of employment whose sole method of making a living is the production and sale of natural rubber, and who with the proceeds purchase all kinds of goods and commodities, including wheat and flour, and which purchases directly or indirectly benefit Canadian people.

Rugby Notes

In spite of muddy roads, a good crowd attended the whist drive on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alice Blain. The Victory Club realized the sum of \$14.60. Honors went to Mrs. Chas. Brown and Mr. W. Weidner, and Mrs. Elmer Cowitz won the raffle.

These card parties have been a source of enjoyment during the winter months, as well as a means of raising money for worthwhile war work.

WPTB Officers will Give Ration Books To Latecomers

People who did not obtain new ration books during Ration Book Week, will be required to apply to a ration office of the Wartime Prices & Trade Board on or after April 17 to obtain ration book 4, says C. G. McKee, regional superintendent of rationing.

Ration offices of the Prices Board are located in Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge and Grande Prairie.

During Ration Book Week 98 percent of the residents of Alberta obtained their new books, the superintendent stated.

About the "Busy Bees".

The Busy Bees met at the home of Mrs. Bacon on March 29th, with 8 members present. The afternoon was spent in quilting a quilt for a raffle, which is to be raffled at our next whist drive.

Our hostesses served a delicious lunch which everyone did justice to, both old and young.

Our next meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. Egging on April 12.

Subsidy on broom corn for use in manufacturing whisks has been reduced, but there will be no increase in the selling price of whisks, according to the WPTB.

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So often now—
NAMES MAKE SAD NEWS

• The names in this newspaper that interest you most are names of boys you know who are on active service . . . boys from this community. You used to read their names in school reports, in church and Sunday school programs, in the local papers. You read the names today in news from the fighting fronts. So often now these names make sad news. Let's do all we can to hasten the day when our newspapers can tell of happy things.

Yes, we can do something to hasten that glad day.

When we do this job we help to win victory sooner. We help to end the war sooner. And we do something to benefit ourselves.

The job that we are asked to do is to save our money and lend it to our country.

As each new fighting front is opened more money is needed. More money must be ready to furnish this money.

More Victory Bonds will be issued. Those who have bought bonds must buy more. We are not asked to give . . . we are just asked to lend. We will have money for things we plan to do after the war.

Dedicate yourself to this war effort . . . something you can do . . . one thing you must do. Your help is urgently needed.

"A Newspaper saying—"Names Make Sad News"

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 Rev. Karl Archer, Pastor

Sundays:
 1:30 p.m. — Sunday School
 2:30 — — — Preaching service
 7:45 — — — Preaching service, including Young People's meeting on alternate Sundays
 Wednesdays, 8 p.m. — Travers service

UNITED

Rev. D. White Smith, Minister
 11:00 a.m. — Sunday school
 7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
 Westcott 11 a.m. — Westerdale 3 p.m.

EVANGELICAL

Rev. A. M. Amacher, B. A. Pastor

Sundays:
 10:30 a.m. — Morning Worship
 11:30 — — — Sunday school
 7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
 Wednesdays, 8 p.m. — Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
 St. Cyprin's, Didsbury
 Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector
 2nd Sunday, Evenings at 3 p.m.
 4th Sunday,
 Holy Communion 11 a.m.

LUTHERAN

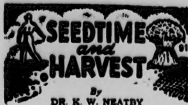
Rev. Albert F. Reimer, Pastor
 Westcott: 11:00 a.m. Every Sunday
 Didsbury: 2:30 p.m. Every Sunday except the 4th.

ST. ANTHONY'S

CATHOLIC
 Father MacNeil, P.P.
 1st Sunday
 Olds 9:30 a.m.; Didsbury 11:15
 2nd and 4th Sunday
 Didsbury 9:45 a.m.; Olds 11:15
 3rd and 5th Sunday
 Didsbury 9:30 a.m.; Olds 11:15

Zella School Church Services.
 Rev. R. Lanterman, Pastor

2:00 p.m. Sunday School
 3:00 p.m. Preaching Service
 We welcome you to our ship with us



SEEDTIME and HARVEST
 By DR. K. W. NEADY
 Director, Line Elevators Farm Service
 A New Bulletin
 Line Elevators Farm Service have the enviable distinction of having published the first Canadian bulletin devoted entirely to the problem of water erosion of soils. This was Bulletin No. 1. In less than three years, 50,000 copies were distributed. It has now been out of print for about a year. The urgency of the problem is fully recognized in government circles, and several Dominion Experimental Stations have, for some years, been conducting experiments on control methods.
 Bulletin No. 1 was concerned, chiefly, with drawing public attention to the problem itself, and very little space was devoted to control. Bulletin No. 4 is now ready for distribution. It is entitled "Water Erosion of Soils in the Prairie Provinces and Its Control." Mr. L. B. Thomson, Superintendent, Dominion Experimental Station, Swift Current, and his staff, have offered invaluable advice and assistance in the preparation of the manuscript. The bulletin has, also, benefited immeasurably from criticisms and suggestions made by Professor John Mitchell, University of Saskatchewan, Mr. W. D. Albright, Dominion Experimental Station, Beaverbridge, and Mr. M. J. Tinline, Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon.
 The information published is, therefore, authoritative. Farmers, country school teachers and their students may secure copies through Line Elevator agents or by writing directly to Line Elevators Farm Service, Grain Exchange Building, Winnipeg, or Herald Building, Calgary.

Lorne E. Ferguson
AUCTION
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Thursday, April 13

MACHINERY

Massey-Harris 2-3 bottom Tractor Plow, 24-in. M.H. Double Disc Seed Drill with power lift, McCormick-Deering 3-4 bottom Tractor Plow, 15-tooth M.H. Cultivator with power lift, 3-section M.H. Lever Harrow, 2-8-ft. Cockshutt boxes with hitch for tractor, 12-ft. 14 C. Packer, Winona Wagon with box, International Wagon Gear, Potato Digger, Potato Planter, Hoover J.D. Corn Cultivator, Deering Mower, 1924 Dodge touring Car, Slip Scraper, Home-made Harrow, Vio (leg), Set Breaching Harrow, Collars, Barbed Wire, 600 watt 32 volt generator, Pump Engine & Pump Jack, Upland Hay, Stock Watering Tank.

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24 Barred Rock Pullets, Kwality Hatchery Stock
 5 White Rocks, 8 new Hampshires, all pure bred

Sale 1:00 p.m. - Terms Cash

C. E. Reiber - Don J. MacLean
 Clerk Auctioneer 7-44-45

Rebecca Activities

Mrs. Alec Ross was hostess to the Rebecca Red Cross group of Zella on Wednesday, March 29th, when 8 members were present.

The ladies spent a very busy afternoon in carding half a fleece of wool which had been donated by Mrs. Baughman. Mrs. Alec Ross had previously teased this wool. Four bandages were also made, while a few other ladies wound wool.

On April 14 there will be a short programme, followed by an auction sale of articles made & donated by the Red Cross group. Lunch will consist of pie and coffee. Everyone welcome. This will be held at the Zella School.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Cogswell, when our raffie quilt will be put together, on April 12.

THEO. RADKE AUCTION

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 11 Miles West, 1 South, 4 West
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Tuesday, April 18

15 Head Cattle
 6 Fresh Milch Cows; 3 Heifers;
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MACHINERY

16-inch Sulky Plow with stubble & breaker bottom, 3 Massey-Harris Lever Harrows, 8-ft. Eaton Disc, 18-in. Single Disc, McCormick Seed Drill, Massey-Harris Mower with 2 sickles, 10 ft. Frost & Wood Rake, 8 ft. Massey-Harris Binder with canvas & 2 knives, Low Wagon, Wagon Box, Hay Rack, Democrat, Sleigh, Cutter, Wheelbarrow, Forks, Shovels, Set Good Breaching Harness, 3 sets Plow Harness, Bridle & Lines, Collars & Sweat Pads, Logging Chain, Doubtlesses, Single-trees, Neck Yokes. ALSO: 2 Granaries, 6x10; Chicken Coops; 300 ft. new Chicken Wire, 80 to 90 cords Fire Wood, dry, sawed and in pole.

Household Goods

Lounge; Winnipeg Couch with mattress; 3 Cupboards; Empire brick-lined Heater; Box-stove Heater; Columbia Cook Stove; good running 550-pound Baltic Cream Separator; Milk Pails; Cream Cans; Organ; Table & 2 Chairs; Medicine Cabinet; Singer Sewing Machine; Steel Crib; Rocking Horse; Coal Oil Mantle Lamp with shade; 2 Kerosene Wick Lamps; Linoleum, 12x12; 3 Irons with handle.

Sale 1:00 p.m. - Terms Cash

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**RENEWAL OF UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BOOKS****To All Employers:**

All Unemployment Insurance Books for the year ending March 31st, 1944, must be exchanged for new books.

Kindly communicate immediately with the nearest Employment and Selective Service Office if you have not already exchanged your employees' books.

There are severe penalties for failing to make Unemployment Insurance Contributions for your insured employees and for failure to renew the Insurance Books as required.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A total of 145,000 United States planes are scheduled for completion in the 15 months beginning with 1944.

Brecon, Wales. For sheep stealing, a rare crime these days, Henry Moss, a soldier, was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment.

In eight months of Atlantic convoy work not a single merchant ship under protection of M.I.S. Biter has been sunk.

Dining cars of one Canadian railway served 800,000 meals in the year prior to the outbreak of the war. In 1941, they served 2,500,000 meals.

The man who docked the liner Queen Mary for the first time and who was Southampton's oldest pilot, 66-year-old Capt. George Bowyer, died recently from a heart attack.

The newly finished motorship "Sovereign" built by the Gota Works in Gothenburg will be used by the Red Cross to carry food from Canada to Greece.

Canadian Legion war service announced appointment of an overseas regional committee which will direct the legion's educational work in the United Kingdom.

Before the end of the third year of the war Fiji had given two bombers, five fighters and had sent \$88,800 to the Red Cross and St. John of Jerusalem Joint Appeal and other war charities.

The first memorial to the dead of this war has been unveiled in Britain. It is a window in the old church of the Yorkshire village of Kirk Broom with the money for which was subscribed by the parishioners.

JUST ONE MATCH

One match dropped carelessly in the pine needles of a national forest may do more property damage than hundreds of incendiary bombs dropped by a fleet of enemy planes.

Giant New Industry

Britain Leading World In Development Of Electrically Driven Car
The electric car is one of the inventions that Britons have to look forward to after the war.

Right now Britain is leading the world in the development of a giant new industry, based on the electrically driven car, which will open up vast possibilities of trade after the war in home, Empire, and world markets.

Despite the war, tremendous strides have been made in the last couple of years. A standard design now is ready. Trial cars have been built, tested and approved. And application has been made for permission to acquire the necessary material for building the first 500 vehicles.

Car batteries have been built to provide power for journeys of 45 to 50 miles, and garages will re-charge them swiftly and simply. One car has been built that has a speed of 60 miles an hour, and a range of 80 miles after it has to be re-charged.

Matter Of Comparison

Detroit Paper Tells People Just How War Casualties Stand

An unofficial compilation places Canada's war casualties of all categories to date at approximately 25,000. Our own are reported in the neighborhood of 150,000. Although our population is 11 times Canada's, we have lost in killed, wounded and missing and prisoners of war only about six times as many men as has the Dominion.

These figures are to be commended to people in this country who talk as if the United States were doing all the fighting—Detroit Free Press.

The giraffe gets its name from "zarafah", an Arabic word meaning "graceful".

There are more than 3,000,000 bicycles in Sweden.

The Earl of Derby inaugurated Derby races in England in 1750.

This Week's Pattern



By ANNE ADAMS

A smart two-piece for both Mother and Daughter is Pattern 4635. It comes in two entirely different size ranges, draped to different types of figures. If you are a willowy miss choose from sizes 12 to 20; if a matron, 30 to 48. Surprised? Sundress version included!

Pattern 4635 is available in misses' sizes 12 to 20; women's sizes 30 to 48. Size 36 takes 3 1/2 yards 35-inch fabric.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., E., Winnipeg, Man. "Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

Does buy a life span of approximately eight years.

BRIGHTENED BERLIN

The London Daily Sketch says Lord D'Abernon, when he went to Berlin as our first ambassador to the Weimar Republic after the last war, spent a great deal of money trying to make the place comfortable. It was during his time there that the front of the Embassy was given a coat of bright yellow paint—much to the astonishment of Berliners.

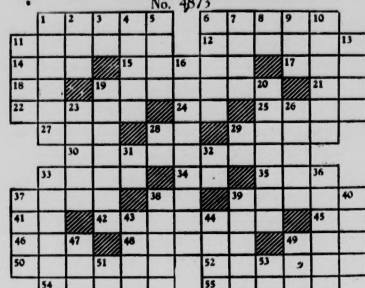
Pepper now is being grown for the first time in Central America.

WHAT'S IN A NAME

The city council of Briarley Hill, Eng., advertised for a rat catcher at a salary of £5 a week, but got no response. The council decided to try again, but advertised this time for "a rodent operative"—and got one at £4 10s a week.

Trees explode when struck by lightning. The stroke creates a gas chamber inside the wood, and the sudden vaporization sets up an explosive pressure.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X



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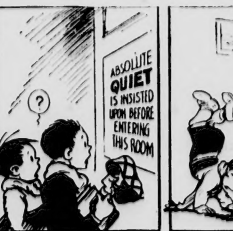
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Evangelical Church Notes

The theme on Easter Sunday morning at 10:30 will be "The First Easter".

At 8:00 p.m. the young people will present a pageant "In the Garden", and a play "The symbol of the Cross". We invite all to worship with us on Easter Sunday.

Easter services at Judland will be held at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mr. H. L. Hayne.

Births

On March 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Murphy, a son.

On March 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Penner, Carstairs, a daughter.

On March 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson, Cremona, a son.

On April 2, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Adami, a son.

On April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger, a daughter.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Born, at Reading, England, on March 28th, to Cpl. and Mrs. Russel Carleton, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watkin and Mrs. Iverach were visitors in Calgary on Sunday.

Miss Edith Sinclair spent the early part of the week with her sisters in Calgary.

ACI Earl Erb of the R.C.A.F. Edmonton, spent the weekend visiting his father, Mr. H. Erb.

Mrs. R. A. Fiddes and daughter, of Vulcan, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buhr.

Cpl. H. Halverson R.C.A.F. Calgary, spent several days in Didsbury visiting his sister, Mrs. Everett Hall, and other relatives.

Mrs. "Dr." Evans was confined to the hospital for several days this week, following a foot operation.

Miss Marian Ellis, who recently had an appendix operation at the Didsbury Hospital, is progressing favorably.

Mrs. Roy Blades (nee Marian Levagood), of Calgary, is visiting relatives and friends in town and district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Webb, of Dawson Creek, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ranton on Thursday last.

Don't forget the Dance at Rugby Hall on May 21. Rocky Mountain Rangers will supply the music.

Pte. Don Lamont, who is with the Canadian Army in Italy, in writing home mentions meeting Felix Benoit.

The following RCAP personnel has been appointed to commissioned rank overseas: Andrew John Learmouth, Didsbury, Alta.

Henry Erb has been appointed agent for the Bowden Nurseries and will receive orders for nursery stock, plants and seeds. 118

There will be a Smoke's Fund Dance at the Melvin Hall on Friday, April 14th, with Tom Smith and his Mandarins.

Born at Olds March 30, to Mr. and Mrs. David Pratt, (Gwyneth Hughes), a daughter, Doreen Margaret.

Wm. McCulloch reported Tuesday that he had seen robins and bluebirds. He immediately got to work spading his garden.

There will be a Service of Meditation at St. Cyril's Church on Good Friday from 2 to 3 p.m. There will also be a service on Easter Sunday at 3 p.m.

The next Baby and Immunization clinic of the Rosebud Health District will be held in Didsbury on Saturday morning, April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCulloch, Ivor Weber, and Dave Hughes returned home last week end from Turner Valley, where they had been working during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Buhr have received word that their son, Bert, has been promoted to the rank of Flying Officer, and is in the Middle East.

The Senior members of Knox United Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. W. W. Gillrie on Thursday, April 6, at 3 o'clock, instead of Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham, of Coaldale, spent several days visiting with the latter's sister, Mrs. H. Jackson, and their many friends in the district, returning to their home Monday afternoon.

Word has been received from Hamilton, Ontario, of the death, on April 2, of Mr. John Hewins, veterinarian, who practised in Didsbury for many years before going East.

"For Ever and a Day" featuring Brian Aherne, Robert Cummings, and Ida Lupino, is showing at the Didsbury this week. The story of a house and the humans it sheltered through several of England's most hectic moments of history.

LOCAL & GENERAL

J. V. Berscht is taking his annual holiday, taking in the Horse Show at Calgary.

Born at Olds Hospital, March 20, to Mr. and Mrs. John V. Snyder, a son, Murray John.

Dr. Clarke, who has been visiting at the Pacific Coast for the past three weeks, returned home Tuesday evening.

Sgt. Ralph Johnson spent a short time at the Pete Janzen home on Tuesday, enroute to Mount Pleasant, P.E.I.

Congratulations Springside Stubblebustlers, on your splendid play at Westerdale hall on Friday evening last.

Mr. L. J. Wrigglesworth received word last week of the death of his brother, Tom, at Chilliwack, B.C.

The McColl-Frontenac invites you to attend a special farm meeting and showing of the film "Tale of Two Thieves", at the Didsbury Opera House on April 11, at 8:30 p.m.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Hall on Thursday, April 13, at 3:00 o'clock. Christian Citizenship will be the subject at this meeting, to be taken up by Mrs. Rapier. An invitation is extended to visitors.

The C.G.I.T. and the W.M.S. of the United Church, held their annual affiliation meeting recently. Mrs. Bowman presided, assisted by Miss Marshall, supervisor of the C.G.I.T. A program followed, and the meeting closed with a singing, and lunch in the school room.

Good Friday Services.

A united Service will be held in Knox United Church at 11 a.m. on Friday.

Rev. A. Traub will bring the special message for the day.

Rev. D. Whyte Smith will conduct the service, assisted by Rev. A. M. Amacher.

W.M.S. Meeting

The W.M.S. of Knox United Church held a very enjoyable evening on Tuesday, when Miss Mackenzie, Field Supervisor for Missions, addressed a meeting in the church, telling of her work and stressing the need of building now for the future. She said that there should be no feeling of superiority or inferiority on the part of any group or nation, but all should work together for the peace, happiness and advancement of all the nations of the earth.

The president, Mrs. H. Bowman presided, Mrs. Ray McArthur read the scripture and Mrs. Eckel gave the inspirational prayer. The Misses Pauline Bowman and Louise Bateman rendered a piano duet, and Miss Dora Fawcett a solo.

The meeting closed with lunch served in the basement.

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